GOVERNMENT OFANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Late Sri G. Tata Rao, former as Jr. Asst., Tahsildar Office, Gangavaram Mandal, E.G. District (Under Suspension) – Case registered under section 420 IPC and referred to Lok Adalat, Rajahmundry – Case dismissed – Reinstatement orders issued - Retired from service attaining the age of superannuation and subsequently expired on 29.08.2022 before conclusion of disciplinary case – Further action abated - Regularization of suspension period from 29.12.2015 to 24.06.2016 as On Duty – Orders – Issued

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REVENUE (VIG.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 389 Dated: 01-05-2025

READ the following:

1. From the CCLA, AP, Ref.No.VS.I(4)/915/2016, Dt.03.02.2017.
2. From the District Collector, East Godavari, Lr.No.Rev-ASEC0SM/5/2018-JA(A7)-CLO-EG, Dated.01.09.2018.
3. From the CCLA's Letter No.Rev02-27024/7/2018-VIGILANCE I SEC-CCLA (C.No.458781), dated:19/07/2024.

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ORDER

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land administration (CCLA), A.P., Mangalagiri has informed that the District Collector, Kakinada in his letter dated: 19-7-2024 reported that Sri G. Tata Rao, while working as Junior Assistant in the office of the Mandal Revenue Officer, Pedapudi, was involved in a case pertaining to forging the signature of the M.R.O. and an attempt to murder the M.R.O. Consequently, he was placed under suspension on 13-12-1993 and was issued a charge memo on 07.08.1996 due to these serious irregularities. The Revenue Divisional Officer, Kakinada, was appointed as the Enquiry Officer. Based on the Enquiry Officer's report, provisional concluding orders were issued vide Collector's proceedings Ref. A7/10932/1993, dated: 22.04.1997, imposing a major penalty of dismissal from service under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991. Aggrieved by the said orders, Sri G.Tata Rao filed O.A.No.2821/1997 before the Hon'ble A.P. Administrative Tribunal, which resulted in quashing of the provisional orders.

2. However, the Collector, East Godavari, subsequently issued final orders confirming the dismissal from service under the same rule vide proceedings dated:06.10.1998. The said orders were once again challenged by Sri G.Tata Rao in O.A.No.6112/2002. The Hon'ble Tribunal set aside the final orders. Thereafter, a fresh charge memo was issued on 31.01.2003, which remained pending without conclusion. Meanwhile, Sri G. Tata Rao retired from service and later expired on 29.08.2022.

3. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration informed that Smt. G.Padmini, wife of late Sri G. Tata Rao, submitted a representation requesting abatement of the disciplinary proceedings, citing her dependency on the pensionary benefits of the deceased employee. Based on the recommendation of the District Collector, Kakinada, the proposal for abatement of the proceedings under the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, was submitted to Government.

4. Now, after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby orders that the disciplinary proceedings initiated against late Sri G. Tata Rao, Junior Assistant, (Retired) who expired on 29-08-2022, are abated in terms of Rule 9(7) & 9(8) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980. Further, the period of suspension from 29.12.2015 to 24.06.2016 is hereby regularized as 'On Duty' under Fundamental Rule 54-B(2).

5. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri and the Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHR APRADESH)

G. JAYALAKSHMI IAS
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TOGOVERNMENT (REVENUE)(FAC)

To
The Legal heir of Sri G. Tata Rao, Junior Assistant, O/o Tahsildar, Pedapudi through the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Collector & District Magistrate, Kakinada.
Copy to:
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri
The Accountant General, A.P. Vijayawada.
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//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER